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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of)

Donald G. MUNROE)

Serial No. 09/581,252)

Filed: December 4, 2000)

For: MAMMALIAN EDG-5 RECEPTOR HOMOLOGS))

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 11, 2003

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 11, 2003, the applicants hereby elect the subject matter of Group I, namely claims 1-16, 18 and 19, drawn to EDG5 polynucleotides, polypeptides and methods of using same. The non-elected claims are retained for the being, pending consideration of the possibility of filing one or more divisional applications directed thereto.

Early and favorable action on the merits is awaited.

Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2135.

Respectfully submitted,

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